Registered Counselor Survey Results

3117 responses

1. How many years have you been a Register	red Counselor in the State of	Carrat	Datia
Washington?		Count	Ratio
Less Than One Year		77	2.47%
1 to 1.99 Years		380	12.17%
2 to 2.99 Years		273	8.78%
3 to 3.99 Years		293	9.42%
4 to 4.99 Years			
		218	7.01%
5 to 5.99 Years		224	7.17%
6 to 6.99 Years		187	6.02%
7 to 7.99 Years		120	3.88%
8 to 8.99 Years		119	3.84%
9 to 9.99 Years		86	2.79%
10 to 9.99 Years		189	6.05%
11 to 9.99 Years		89	2.85%
12 to 9.99 Years		113	3.65%
13 to 13.99 Years		84	2.69%
14 to 14.99 Years		87	2.79%
15 to 15.99 Years		132	4.26%
16 to 16.99 Years		89	2.85%
17 to 17.99 Years		58	1.86%
18 to 18.99 Years		118	3.78%
19 to 19.99 Years		39	1.25%
20 to 20.99 Years		66	2.11%
Over 20 Years		72	2.31%
	Average	8.56	N/A
	Total count	3117	100.00%

2 2. Which one of the following best describes the area of			
counseling that you spend the most	time?	Count	Ratio
Educational, vocational, or school counseling		202	6.48%
Mental health counseling		926	29.71%
Substance abuse or dependence counseling		372	11.93%
Marriage or family counseling		203	6.51%
Spiritual or pastoral counseling		192	6.16%
Physical health or fitness counseling		30	0.96%
Personal growth or profession counseling		166	5.33%
Wellness or alternative health counseling		115	3.69%
Case management or client support services		534	17.13%
An area other than those listed above		206	6.61%
I do not work in any area of counseling at this time		171	5.49%
	Total selections	3117	N/A
	Total Responses	3117	100.00%

3 3. Which one of the following best	describes your work as a		
Registered Counselor?		Count	Ratio
Volunteer		200	6.42%
Student		174	5.58%
Employee		1776	56.98%
Self employed		868	27.85%
Business owner and employer		99	3.18%
	Total selections	3117	N/A
	Total Responses	3117	100.00%

4. Which <u>one</u> of the following best setting?	describes your work	Count	Ratio
<u>Setting</u> :		Count	Katio
Private practice		805	25.83%
Private agency or business		542	17.39%
Community mental health agency		586	18.8%
Public or government agency		328	10.52%
School or college		200	6.42%
Health facility, nursing home, or hospital		337	10.81%
Clubhouse		9	0.29%
Work setting other than those listed above		310	9.95%
	Total selections	3117	N/A
	Total Responses	3117	100.00%

5 5. Which <u>one</u> of the following descr	ibes the state credential		
held by <u>your supervisor</u>		Count	Ratio
My supervisor is a Registered Counselor		200	6.42%
My supervisor is a Certified Chemical Dependency Professional		225	7.22%
My supervisor is a Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist		121	3.88%
My supervisor is a Licensed Mental Health Counselor		355	11.39%
My supervisor is a Licensed Independent Clinical Social Worker		193	6.19%
My supervisor is a Licensed Advanced Social Worker		88	2.82%
My supervisor is a Licensed Psychologist		126	4.04%
My supervisor is a Licensed Nurse		118	3.79%
My supervisor is a Licensed Vocational or School Counselor		18	0.58%
My supervisor is a Licensed Psychiatrist, Physician, or Physician Assistant		50	1.6%
My supervisor holds more than one of the above credentials		317	10.17%
My supervisor does not hold any of the above credentials		228	7.31%
I do not know what credentials my supervisor holds		234	7.51%
I do not have a supervisor		844	27.08%
	Total selections	3117	N/A
	Total Responses	3117	100.00%

6 6. In addition to Registered Counse another state credential?	elor, do <u>you</u> presently hold	Count	Ratio
No		2142	68.72%
Yes, I am also a Certified Chemical Dependency Professional		210	6.74%
Yes, I am also a Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist		8	0.26%
Yes, I am also a Licensed Mental Health Counselor		52	1.67%
Yes, I am also a Licensed Independent Clinical Social Worker		34	1.09%
Yes, I am also a Licensed Advanced Social Worker		9	0.29%
Yes, I am also a Licensed Psychologist		6	0.19%
Yes, I am also a Licensed Nurse		73	2.34%
Yes, I am also a Licensed Vocational or School Counselor		42	1.35%
Yes, I am also a Licensed Psychiatrist, Physician, or Physician Assistant		6	0.19%
Yes, I hold more than one of the above credentials in addition to Registered Counselor		51	1.64%
Yes, I hold a state credential other than those listed above in addition to Registered Counselor		484	15.53%
	Total selections		N/A
	Total Responses	3117	100.00%

7 7. Are you currently working towar	d meeting the		
qualifications for another credentia			
Washington?		Count	Ratio
No		2018	64.74%
Yes, I am working to become a Certified Chemical Dependency Professional		193	6.19%
Yes, I am working to become a Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist		112	3.59%
Yes, I am working to become a Licensed Mental Health Counselor		329	10.56%
Yes, I am working to become a Licensed Independent Clinical Social Worker		168	5.39%
Yes, I am working to become a Licensed Advanced Social Worker		61	1.96%
Yes, I am working to become a Licensed Psychologist		51	1.64%
Yes, I am working to become a Licensed Psychiatric Nurse		5	0.16%
Yes, I am working to become a Licensed Vocational or School Counselor		22	0.71%
Yes, I am working to become certified or licensed in a profession other than the above		158	5.07%
	Total selections	3117	N/A
	Total Responses	3117	100.00%

8. How many years of total full-time work expe	rience do you have in		
counseling and closely related fields?	-	Count	Ratio
Less Than One Year		171	5.49%
1 to 1.99 Years		212	6.80%
2 to 2.99 Years		175	5.61%
3 to 3.99 Years		176	5.65%
4 to 4.99 Years		132	4.23%
5 to 5.99 Years		186	5.97%
6 to 6.99 Years		148	4.75%
7 to 7.99 Years		104	3.34%
8 to 8.99 Years		116	3.72%
9 to 9.99 Years		67	2.15%
10 to 10.99 Years		213	6.83%
11 to 11.99 Years		52	1.67%
12 to 12.99 Years		111	3.56%
13 to 13.99 Years		62	1.99%
14 to 14.99 Years		55	1.76%
15 to 15.99 Years		152	4.88%
16 to 16.99 Years		78	2.50%
17 to 17.99 Years		49	1.57%
18 to 18.99 Years		75	2.41%
19 to 19.99 Years		35	1.12%
20 to 20.99 Years		173	5.55%
21 to 24.99 Years		96	3.08%
25 to 25.99 Years		119	3.82%
26 to 29.99 Years		99	3.18%
30 to 30.99 Years		105	3.37%
31 to 34.99 Years		88	2.82%
Over 35 Years		68	2.18%
	Average	12.18	N/A
	Total count	3117	100.00%

9 9. Which <u>one</u> of the following best describes your education in counseling and closely related fields?		Count	Ratio
I have not taken any courses in counseling or closely related field		33	1.06%
I have taken <u>some courses</u> in counseling or closely related field, but I do not have a degree in counseling or closely related field		545	17.48%
I have a <u>two year degree or certificate</u> in counseling or closely related field		264	8.47%
I have a <u>four year degree</u> in counseling or closely related field		670	21.5%
I have a <u>masters degree</u> in counseling or closely related field		1463	46.94%
I have a <u>doctoral degree</u> in counseling or closely related field		142	4.56%
	Total selections	3117	N/A
	Total Responses	3117	100.00%

10 10. Please provide the zip code of your work location: (optional)		Ratio
Non-Western States	5	0.19%
Idaho	7	0.26%
Arizona	3	0.11%
Nevada	2	0.08%
California	2	0.08%
Oregon	16	0.60%
Eastern Washington	503	18.95%
Western Washington	2121	79.74%
	2660	
	out of	
Total count	3117	85.2%
	provided	
	zipcode	